



# University of Calgary

## MUSCULOSKELETAL

### GENERAL INFORMATION

<b>Location</b>	Foothills Medical Centre and Richmond Road Diagnostic and Treatment Centre Calgary, Alberta, Canada
<b>Duration</b>	1 year
<b>Deadline for Applications</b>	End of PGY3 / Early PGY 4
<b>Number of Fellowship Positions</b>	1 total
<b>Fellowship Website</b>	<a href="https://www.ucalgary.ca/radiology/educationtraining/fellowship-programs">https://www.ucalgary.ca/radiology/educationtraining/fellowship-programs</a>
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### WORKFLOW

<b>General structure</b>	Each week on average contains 3 days of MRI/CT (with 2 of these including 4-5 MRI and CT arthrograms), 1 day of dedicated MSK Ultrasound(including US guided procedures) and one day of Fluoro guided procedures.
<b>Are there times when fellows overlap and share work?</b>	No
<b>How many rounds are you expected to attend? Contribute to?</b>	Contribute to : -Bi-weekly -Sarcoma/bone tumor rounds -Bi-monthly- Rheumatology/radiology rounds - Bi-annual- Resident MSK hotseat rounds  Attend: Optional attendance : - Monthly- Acute Knee rounds - University of Calgary Sports Medicine Centre rounds - Conservative Hip rounds -Hand and Wrist rounds

<p><b>Other than rounds, are there teaching responsibilities?</b></p>	<p>Fellows will assist with radiology resident view-box and arthrogram teaching</p>
<p><b>How procedure focused is the fellowship?</b></p>	<p>Moderate focus</p>
<p><b>Which procedures are you responsible for?</b></p>	<p>Tuesdays and Thursdays: 4-5 MR and CT Arthrograms  Wednesdays: Dedicated MSK Ultrasound and Ultrasound guided procedures including tenotomy, PRP, tendon lavage, nerve blocks, carpal tunnel hydro-dissection, tendon sheath injections etc.</p> <p>Location - EFW Radiology - MSK Regeneration and Performance Centre (Community clinic) ~ 30 Diagnostic US and 6-8 US procedures/ day. Fellows perform as much volume as they are able to do with staff support.</p> <p>Fridays: Peripheral procedures: Arthrography, Joint or Bursa injections, Joint aspiration  Spinal procedures: Nerve root injections, Facet joint injection, epidural injections, psoas muscle, facet joint medial branch blocks</p> <p>Location - EFW Radiology- Advanced Spinal Care Centre (Community clinic) ~ 90 procedures performed/day. Fellows perform as many as they are able to do with staff support.</p> <p>Special procedures on an intermittent basis:  - Facet joint radiofrequency ablation, Intercostal nerve neuromodulation  - Osteoid Osteoma ablation, Vertebroplasty, Kyphoplasty, Sacroplasty,  - Bone and soft tissue biopsy under fluoroscopic, CT or US guidance.</p> <p>Opportunities to observe orthopedic surgeries in the OR, on an informal basis</p>
<p><b>Additional Comments about Workflow:</b></p>	
<p><b>RESEARCH</b></p>	

<b>What are the Research Expectations?</b>	Involvement in 1 research project is recommended.
<b>How much protected time is given for research (per week)?</b>	No protected time is given. Funding is available if the Fellow is presenting at a meeting.
<b>CALL</b>	
<b>General</b>	~7 weekends/year - General Radiology plain film reporting with staff cover. No overnight coverage.
<b>Responsibilities on Call:</b>	N/A
<b>Is there a call stipend?</b>	No
<b>Additional comments about call</b>	N/A
<b>HOLIDAYS AND PAY</b>	
<b>Number of paid holiday's (in weeks):</b>	Fellows are entitled to 20 vacation days, 3 flex days and 1 floating day. Also if you work a statutory holiday you will be entitled to a day in lieu.
<b>Sick and Caregiver time (in days):</b>	N/A
<b>Extra time off (in days):</b>	<b>\$ 81,000</b> , CMPA and CPSA is also PAID
<b>Income before tax (CAD):</b>	
<b>Opportunities for additional income (directly related to the fellowship):</b>	No
<b>Additional Comments about Holidays and Pay:</b>	